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A paper was read "On several Strikes in the Potteries of Staffordshire," by John Boyle, Esq. (See p. 37).

A Report was then read "On the State of 176 Poor Families in Miles Platting," by James Heywood, Esq. (See p. 34).

STATISTICAL SOCIETY OF LIVERPOOL.

The First General Meeting of this Society was held on the 30th March.

The Report of the Council was laid before the meeting, and the following papers were read:—1st, "An account of the Condition of the Agricultural Classes at the Present Day as compared with what it was 60 or 70 Years ago," by John Merritt, Esq.; 2d, A paper by the Chaplain of Kirkdale Gaol, "Upon the Causes of Crime and the Effects of Prison Discipline;" and 3d, A "Report upon the Strike among the Operatives employed in the Building Trade in Liverpool during the year 1833."

STATISTICAL SOCIETY OF ULSTER.

At a meeting held at Belfast, on the 29th March, this Society was finally constituted, and the rules for its management agreed to. The First Meeting of the Council was held on the 10th of April, when several Committees for carrying on original enquiries were formed, for an account of which see p. 50. The First General Meeting of the Society will take place on the 11th May, when will be read an Introductory Address, by Captain Portlock, R.E., Vice-President, "Upon the Objects and Advantages of Statistical Enquiries."

MISCELLANEOUS.

New Poor Law Act.

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| Total Number of Parishes in England and Wales . . . | 14,482 |
| Population in 1831 | 13,897,187 |
| Number of Parishes united under Poor Law Act on 15th December, 1837 * | 13,306 |
| Population of ditto | 11,506,590 |
| Number of Parishes not united | 1,176 |
| Population of ditto | 2,390,597 |
| Of the 1,176 Parishes not united | <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"> <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle; font-size: 3em; line-height: 1;">{</div> <div style="display: inline-block; vertical-align: middle;"> 178 are under Gilbert's Act. 442 are under Sturges Bourne's or Local Acts. 556 are not yet united. </div> </div> |

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| Average Expenditure, per head, in 1803. . . | s. d. |
| " " 1818. . . | 9 2 |
| " " 1837. . . | 13 2 |
| " " . . . | 5 10 |

* Since the above period *Four* Unions have been formed, comprising *Forty* Parishes, with a Population in all of 90,355.

Poor Law Administration.

In 214 Poor Law Unions, including one in Wales, the number of paupers relieved during the Christmas quarter of 1837, compared with the corresponding quarter in 1836, had increased from 282,992 to 294,324; but the expenditure had decreased from 302,144*l.* to 299,118*l.*

Commons' Paper, No. 220.

Operation of New Poor Law—Marriages.

The number of marriages of labourers in Norfolk and Suffolk has decreased in a remarkable manner since the introduction of the New Poor Law.

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| In 1833 the total number was | 762 | |
| 1834 | 771 | |
| 1835 | 663 | Decrease 16·3 per cent. |
| 1836 | 549 | Further decrease 20·7 ditto. |
| Total decrease in two years 40 per cent. | | |

This effect of the new administration of the poor laws is by no means confined to the above counties.

Commons' Paper, No. 210.

Progress of Russia.

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| The acquisitions of Russia from | Sweden . . . | equal the remainder of Sweden. |
| | Poland . . . | the Austrian Empire. |
| | European Turkey | Prussia, exclusive of the Rhenish Provinces. |
| | Asiatic Turkey . . . | the German Small States, Rhenish Prussia, Hol- land, and Belgium. |
| | Persia . . . | England. |
| | Tartary . . . | European Turkey, Greece, Italy, and Spain. |

The Russian Frontier has been advanced towards

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| Berlin, Dresden, Munich, Vienna, and Paris, about | 700 Miles. |
| Constantinople | 500 „ |
| Stockholm | 630 „ |
| Teheran | 1000 „ |

The total acquisitions of Russia in 64 years equal her whole European empire before that time.

Estimated Population of Russia.

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| In 1689 at the Accession of Peter I. | 15,000,000 inhabitants. |
| 1762 „ „ Catherine II. | 25,000,000 „ |
| 1796 „ death of „ | 36,000,000 „ |
| 1825 „ „ Alexander | 58,000,000 „ |

Oats from Ireland.

Ireland is now the oat granary of the empire; out of 2,929,322 quarters of grain and flour, imported from that country into Great Britain in 1836, the quantity of oats and oatmeal amounted to 2,126,693 quarters.

OUTRAGES, IRELAND.

Abstract of the Total Number of Outrages reported by the Officers of Police in Ireland to the Inspector General of Police, in each Month from July 1836 to February 1838; shewing, first, the Number which occurred in each Province, and secondly, the Class of Offences.

| MONTHS. | PROVINCES. | | | | | CLASS OF OFFENCES. | | | | |
|------------|------------|-----------|------------|----------|--------|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|--------|--------|
| | Ulster. | Leinster. | Connaught. | Munster. | Total. | Against the Person. | Against Property. | Affecting the Public Peace. | Other. | Total. |
| 1836. | | | | | | | | | | |
| July . . | 149 | 205 | 62 | 93 | 509 | 119 | 147 | 243 | .. | 509 |
| August . | 100 | 379 | 197 | 185 | 861 | 263 | 315 | 280 | 3 | 861 |
| September. | 122 | 294 | 145 | 178 | 739 | 274 | 228 | 236 | 1 | 739 |
| October . | 128 | 324 | 124 | 123 | 699 | 243 | 242 | 210 | 4 | 699 |
| November . | 182 | 262 | 119 | 116 | 679 | 246 | 263 | 170 | .. | 679 |
| December . | 162 | 337 | 158 | 113 | 770 | 296 | 332 | 142 | .. | 770 |
| 1837. | | | | | | | | | | |
| January . | 200 | 389 | 192 | 169 | 950 | 332 | 360 | 251 | 7 | 950 |
| February . | 175 | 272 | 185 | 133 | 765 | 235 | 289 | 238 | 3 | 765 |
| March . . | 107 | 262 | 108 | 166 | 643 | 159 | 188 | 296 | .. | 643 |
| April . . | 81 | 207 | 71 | 139 | 498 | 129 | 175 | 194 | .. | 498 |
| May . . | 96 | 225 | 136 | 173 | 630 | 152 | 227 | 251 | .. | 630 |
| June . . | 105 | 191 | 98 | 125 | 519 | 126 | 166 | 226 | 1 | 519 |
| July . . | 92 | 158 | 73 | 91 | 414 | 112 | 146 | 155 | 1 | 414 |
| August . | 76 | 201 | 122 | 132 | 531 | 152 | 157 | 221 | 1 | 531 |
| September. | 73 | 183 | 146 | 150 | 552 | 139 | 145 | 268 | .. | 552 |
| October . | 127 | 230 | 90 | 140 | 587 | 175 | 173 | 238 | 1 | 587 |
| November . | 136 | 228 | 95 | 154 | 613 | 189 | 176 | 247 | 1 | 613 |
| December . | 151 | 283 | 150 | 191 | 775 | 241 | 253 | 279 | 2 | 775 |
| 1838. | | | | | | | | | | |
| January . | 67 | 174 | 82 | 124 | 447 | 122 | 171 | 152 | 2 | 447 |
| February . | 76 | 186 | 76 | 88 | 426 | 128 | 175 | 122 | 1 | 426 |

Abstract of Commons' Papers, Nos. 157 and 214.

Military in Ireland.

The following is a Return of the total effective rank and file of Cavalry, Foot-guards, and Infantry of the Line, stationed in Ireland, on the 1st of January in each year, from 1828 to 1837; with an estimate given in December, 1837, of the number likely to be stationed there on the 1st of January, 1838. It exhibits a decrease of 3,478 men, or 28 per cent. in 1838, compared with the first year of the series.

| Years. | Rank and File. | Years. | Rank and File. | Years. | Rank and File. |
|--------|----------------|--------|----------------|--------|----------------|
| 1828 | 19,496 | 1832 | 18,404 | 1836 | 17,097 |
| 1829 | 21,739 | 1833 | 23,125 | 1837 | 17,671 |
| 1830 | 19,551 | 1834 | 22,162 | 1838 | 16,018 |
| 1831 | 15,864 | 1835 | 18,086 | | |

Lords' Paper, No. 120.

Constabulary Force—Ireland.

The following Return exhibits the effective strength of the Constabulary Force in the several counties of Ireland on the 1st of January in each of the years 1828 and 1838. In the latter year is included the Peace Preservation Police, which was incorporated with the Constabulary on the 1st of October, 1836, upon the organization of that force under the 6th Wm. IV. cap. 13. This account shews that between the years 1828 and 1838 the total force had increased from 5,284 to 7,953 men, a difference of 2,669 men, or 54 per cent. on the former number. The military force, however, had been diminished within the same period by 3,478 men. If the decrease of the military and the increase in the population of Ireland during the ten years be taken into account, it is clear that the force employed for the preservation of the peace in that country is considerably smaller now, in proportion to the population, than it was in the year 1828.

With respect to the different counties, it appears that in Fermanagh the force is actually less now than in 1828; that in Kildare and Londonderry it has remained stationary; that in Antrim, Armagh, Cavan, Down, Kerry, Leitrim, Longford, Meath, Tyrone, Westmeath, and Wicklow, it has been slightly increased; while in Kilkenny, Limerick, Louth, and Queen's County, it has been more than doubled.

| | 1828. | 1838. | | 1828. | 1838. |
|-----------------|-------|-------|------------------|-------|-------|
| Antrim . . . | 168 | 187 | Londonderry . . | 92 | 92 |
| Armagh . . . | 96 | 114 | Longford . . . | 96 | 139 |
| Carlow . . . | 72 | 122 | Louth | 75 | 184 |
| Cavan | 144 | 178 | Mayo | 173 | 261 |
| Clare | 200 | 350 | Meath | 288 | 329 |
| Cork | 411 | 584 | Monaghan . . . | 79 | 129 |
| Donegal . . . | 96 | 175 | Queen's County . | 153 | 323 |
| Down | 128 | 154 | Roscommon . . | 170 | 250 |
| Dublin | 144 | 239 | Sligo | 108 | 182 |
| Fermanagh . . | 128 | 112 | Tipperary . . . | 361 | 686 |
| Galway | 369 | 604 | Tyrone | 136 | 147 |
| Kerry | 128 | 161 | Waterford . . . | 100 | 180 |
| Kildare | 224 | 225 | Westmeath . . . | 238 | 259 |
| Kilkenny . . . | 192 | 435 | Wexford | 139 | 230 |
| King's County . | 192 | 266 | Wicklow | 128 | 165 |
| Leitrim | 80 | 107 | | | |
| Limerick . . . | 176 | 366 | Total | 5284 | 7953 |

From Lords' Paper, No. 116.

Peace Preservation Police—Ireland.

This force was in existence in the county and city of Limerick in the year 1828. In 1832 it was established in the counties of Clare, Galway, Roscommon, and Kilkenny; and in the following year it was extended to the city of Kilkenny and the counties of Tipperary and Wicklow. In October, 1836, it was incorporated with the Constabulary, under the Act 6 Wm. IV. c. 13.

From Lords' Paper, No. 116.

Live Stock from Ireland.

The value of live stock imported at Liverpool from Ireland, in 1837, amounted, on a moderate computation, to 3,397,760*l*. The importation of live stock at Bristol is also considerable.

STATEMENT of the Number of Acres in the United Kingdom; Nature of Seasons; Annual Average Prices of Corn and other Agricultural Produce; Amount of Hop and Malt Duty in England and Wales; and Prices of Three per Cent. Consols. Compiled by G. N. DRIVER, Esq., of Richmond Terrace, for Private Circulation among Land Surveyors.

| Years. | Nature of the Seasons. | CORN per quarter. | | | | | | WOOL per lb. | | | Beef & Mutton per lb. | Cheese per lb. | Hops per cwt. | Hop Duty, 1st. 6d. per cwt. from 1805. | Malt Duty. In Millions of Pounds. 2s. 7d. per bushel from 1822. | 3 per Cent. Consols. Mean of the extreme Highest and Lowest. | Years. | | | | | |
|--|---|-------------------|------|---------|-------|--------|-------|--------------|-------|---------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------------|--|---|--|------------|---|----|------------|--|--|
| | | Wheat. | Rye. | Barley. | Oats. | Beans. | Peas. | South-down. | | Lincolnshire. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | s. d. | s. d. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1790 | { Peace and favourable Seasons | 53 | 3 | 34 | 0 | 25 | 6 | 18 | 6 | 31 | 0 | 32 | 10 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 3 | 76 | 1790 | | |
| 1791 | | 47 | 3 | 31 | 8 | 25 | 9 | 18 | 3 | 30 | 6 | 32 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 83 | 1791 | | |
| 1792 | | 42 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 26 | 10 | 17 | 10 | 30 | 8 | 31 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 85 | 1792 | | |
| 1793 | { War but favourable Season | 47 | 10 | 35 | 1 | 31 | 9 | 21 | 0 | 36 | 5 | 38 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 75 | 1793 | | |
| 1794 | | 51 | 0 | 36 | 4 | 32 | 10 | 22 | 0 | 38 | 1 | 47 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 68 | 1794 | | |
| 1795 | | 73 | 0 | 48 | 5 | 37 | 6 | 24 | 6 | 46 | 8 | 53 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 66 | 1795 | | |
| 1796 | { Deficiency of Crop | 76 | 6 | 47 | 0 | 35 | 9 | 21 | 9 | 38 | 10 | 43 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 6 | 62 | 1796 | | |
| 1797 | | 52 | 6 | 31 | 11 | 27 | 10 | 16 | 9 | 27 | 6 | 33 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 52 | 1797 | | |
| 1798 | | 50 | 6 | 30 | 11 | 29 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 30 | 1 | 33 | 11 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 52 | 1798 | | |
| 1799 | { Seasons less unfavourable | 67 | 6 | 43 | 9 | 35 | 9 | 27 | 6 | 44 | 7 | 45 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 60 | 1799 | | |
| 1800 | | 110 | 6 | 76 | 11 | 60 | 0 | 39 | 6 | 69 | 3 | 67 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 63 | 1800 | | |
| 1801 | | 115 | 11 | 79 | 9 | 67 | 10 | 36 | 9 | 62 | 8 | 67 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 62 | 1801 | | |
| { Good Crop followed by Peace; also by favourable Seasons in 1802-3. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 46,922,970 | | | | | | 15,871,463 | | | 77,394,433 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Acres. | | | | | | Acres. | | | Acres. | | | Acres. | | | Acres. | | | Acres. | | |
| ENGLAND | | 25,632,000 | | | | | | 3,454,000 | | | 3,256,400 | | | 32,342,400 | | | 32,342,400 | | | 32,342,400 | | |
| WALES | | 3,117,000 | | | | | | 530,000 | | | 1,105,000 | | | 4,752,000 | | | 4,752,000 | | | 4,752,000 | | |
| SCOTLAND | | 5,265,000 | | | | | | 5,950,000 | | | 8,523,930 | | | 19,738,930 | | | 19,738,930 | | | 19,738,930 | | |
| IRELAND | | 12,525,280 | | | | | | 4,500,000 | | | 2,416,664 | | | 19,441,944 | | | 19,441,944 | | | 19,441,944 | | |
| BRITISH ISLES | | 383,690 | | | | | | 166,000 | | | 569,469 | | | 1,119,159 | | | 1,119,159 | | | 1,119,159 | | |

Miscellaneous.

[May,

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|------------------------------------|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|---|----|---|-----|---------|---------|----|------|------|
| 1802} | Average Crop | { 67 | 6 | 43 | 3 | 33 | 6 | 20 | 9 | 36 | 4 | 39 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 6 | 250 | 33,616 | 24 | 72 | 1802 |
| 1803} | | { 57 | 6 | 36 | 11 | 24 | 6 | 21 | 3 | 34 | 8 | 38 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 210 | 433,054 | 31 | 61 | 1803 |
| 1804} | | { 60 | 5 | 37 | 1 | 30 | 6 | 24 | 0 | 38 | 7 | 40 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 7 | 170 | 386,125 | 53 | 57 | 1804 |
| 1805} | Deficient Crop, followed however | { 87 | 1 | 54 | 4 | 44 | 6 | 28 | 0 | 47 | 5 | 48 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 130 | 57,159 | 47 | 60 | 1805 |
| 1806} | by Average Crops in 1805-6-7 . | { 76 | 9 | 47 | 4 | 33 | 6 | 25 | 10 | 43 | 9 | 43 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 124 | 266,266 | 53 | 62 | 1806 |
| 1807} | | { 73 | 1 | 47 | 6 | 38 | 3 | 28 | 4 | 47 | 3 | 55 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 7 | 7 | 118 | 174,038 | 57 | 61 | 1807 |
| 1808} | Partial Deficiency | { 78 | 11 | 52 | 4 | 42 | 3 | 33 | 8 | 60 | 8 | 66 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 7 | 98 | 437,697 | 47 | 61 | 1808 |
| 1809} | Great Deficiency | { 94 | 5 | 60 | 9 | 47 | 3 | 32 | 8 | 60 | 9 | 60 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 8 | 145 | 111,222 | 43 | 68 | 1809 |
| 1810} | Good Crop | { 103 | 3 | 56 | 8 | 47 | 9 | 29 | 4 | 52 | 9 | 55 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 144 | 127,851 | 53 | 67 | 1810 |
| 1811} | Deficiency | { 92 | 5 | 46 | 11 | 41 | 9 | 28 | 10 | 47 | 11 | 52 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 8 | 155 | 273,193 | 53 | 64 | 1811 | |
| 1812} | Favourable Crop, but Currency de- | { 122 | 8 | 76 | 3 | 66 | 6 | 44 | 0 | 72 | 4 | 74 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 195 | 53,151 | 46 | 59 | 1812 | |
| 1813} | preciated | { 106 | 6 | 69 | 9 | 53 | 3 | 39 | 3 | 74 | 1 | 79 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 230 | 228,665 | 47 | 61 | 1813 | |
| 1814} | Nearly Average Crop, but great im- | { 72 | 1 | 43 | 4 | 37 | 4 | 26 | 6 | 44 | 10 | 50 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 9 | 190 | 243,987 | 53 | 67 | 1814 | |
| 1815} | port and decrease of the charges | { | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1816} | of production consequent on the | { | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1817} | Peace | { 63 | 8 | 37 | 0 | 29 | 9 | 23 | 9 | 35 | 1 | 38 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 11 | 8 | 193 | 215,441 | 57 | 61 | 1815 | |
| 1818} | Full Average Crop | { 76 | 2 | 41 | 0 | 30 | 9 | 21 | 9 | 36 | 3 | 36 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 278 | 80,527 | 53 | 62 | 1816 | |
| 1819} | Great and General Deficiency . | { 94 | 0 | 58 | 9 | 48 | 6 | 31 | 2 | 58 | 2 | 51 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 445 | 115,691 | 2 | 73 | 1817 | |
| 1820} | Not exceeding Average Crop . . | { 83 | 8 | 62 | 8 | 51 | 6 | 31 | 2 | 59 | 1 | 55 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 158 | 346,897 | 3 | 78 | 1818 | |
| 1821} | Somewhat below Average Crop | { 72 | 3 | 52 | 7 | 45 | 6 | 27 | 8 | 60 | 4 | 60 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 115 | 421,002 | 23 | 72 | 1819 | |
| 1822} | Exceeding Average Crop | { 65 | 10 | 41 | 10 | 33 | 4 | 23 | 10 | 44 | 11 | 46 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 85 | 240,575 | 45 | 68 | 1820 | |
| 1823} | Average Crop | { 54 | 5 | 33 | 0 | 25 | 11 | 19 | 3 | 32 | 1 | 33 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 85 | 268,886 | 5 | 73 | 1821 | |
| 1824} | Scarcity | { 43 | 3 | 20 | 3 | 21 | 3 | 17 | 7 | 23 | 9 | 25 | 7 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 70 | 354,304 | 3 | 79 | 1822 |
| 1825} | Average | { 51 | 9 | 30 | 11 | 30 | 7 | 22 | 3 | 32 | 1 | 33 | 11 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 186 | 45,318 | 36 | 76 | 1823 | |
| 1826} | Nearly an Average | { 62 | 0 | 40 | 2 | 35 | 3 | 24 | 1 | 38 | 10 | 39 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 124 | 238,838 | 3 | 91 | 1824 | |
| 1827} | Average Crop | { 66 | 6 | 41 | 0 | 38 | 10 | 24 | 11 | 41 | 6 | 44 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 455 | 42,291 | 47 | 87 | 1825 | |
| 1828} | Scarcity | { 56 | 11 | 39 | 11 | 33 | 4 | 25 | 11 | 42 | 11 | 46 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 8 | 80 | 468,402 | 43 | 79 | 1826 | |
| 1829} | Full Average | { 55 | 0 | 35 | 9 | 35 | 5 | 26 | 6 | 46 | 3 | 46 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 90 | 214,954 | 3 | 83 | 1827 | |
| 1830} | Nearly an Average Crop | { 60 | 5 | 34 | 2 | 32 | 10 | 22 | 6 | 38 | 4 | 40 | 6 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 93 | 209,178 | 4 | 85 | 1828 | |
| 1831} | Above an Average Crop | { 66 | 3 | 34 | 10 | 32 | 6 | 22 | 9 | 36 | 8 | 36 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 119 | 66,780 | 3 | 90 | 1829 | |
| 1832} | Scarcity | { 64 | 3 | 35 | 10 | 32 | 7 | 24 | 5 | 36 | 1 | 39 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 4 | 145 | 153,126 | 36 | 86 | 1830 | |
| 1833} | Full Average | { 66 | 4 | 40 | 0 | 38 | 0 | 25 | 4 | 39 | 10 | 41 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 5 | 100 | 304,139 | 41 | 79 | 1831 | |
| 1834} | Nearly an Average Crop | { 58 | 8 | 34 | 7 | 33 | 1 | 20 | 5 | 35 | 4 | 37 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 140 | 241,771 | 43 | 83 | 1832 | |
| 1835} | Above an Average Crop | { 52 | 11 | 32 | 11 | 27 | 6 | 18 | 5 | 33 | 2 | 36 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 125 | 272,879 | 53 | 88 | 1833 | |
| 1836} | Considerably above an Average . | { 46 | 2 | 32 | 9 | 29 | 0 | 20 | 11 | 35 | 3 | 39 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 130 | 329,937 | 53 | 90 | 1834 | |
| 1837} | Above an Average | { 39 | 4 | 30 | 4 | 29 | 11 | 22 | 0 | 36 | 11 | 36 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 80 | 409,056 | 56 | 91 | 1835 | |
| 1838} | Under an Average Crop | { 48 | 6 | 33 | 4 | 32 | 10 | 23 | 1 | 39 | 1 | 38 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 80 | 348,405 | 51 | 89 | 1836 | |
| 1839} | | { 55 | 10 | 34 | 9 | 30 | 4 | 23 | 1 | 38 | 7 | 37 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 73 | 310,571 | 43 | 91 | 1837 | |

SLAVERY COMPENSATION.

Number of Slaves in each Colony; Total Amount and Average Rates of Appraised Value; Average of Sales from 1822 to 1830; and Total Amount and Average Rates of Compensation.

| COLONIES. | Number of Slaves. | [Appraised Value by sworn Valuers. | | Average of Sales of Slaves from 1822 to 1830. | Compensation Apportioned. | |
|---------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|---|---------------------------|----------------|
| | | Total Amount. | Average Rates. | | Total Amount. | Average Rates. |
| | | £. | £. s. d. | £. s. d. | £. | £. s. d. |
| Antigua | 29,121 | 1,777,026 | 61 0 5½ | 32 12 10½ | 425,547 | 14 12 3 |
| Bahamas | 10,086 | 294,194 | 29 3 4 | 29 18 9½ | 128,296 | 12 14 4½ |
| Barbadoes | 83,150 | 4,428,510 | 53 5 2 | 47 1 3½ | 1,719,980 | 20 13 8½ |
| Bermuda | 4,026 | 175,194 | 43 10 3 | 27 4 11½ | 50,409 | 12 10 5 |
| Cape of Good Hope | 25,742 | 3,040,829 | 85 1 6 | 73 9 11 | 1,235,996 | 34 11 7½ |
| Dominica | 14,175 | 719,246 | 50 14 9½ | 43 8 7½ | 275,547 | 19 8 9½ |
| Grenada | 23,638 | 1,791,325 | 75 15 7½ | 59 6 0 | 616,355 | 26 1 4½ |
| Guiana, British. . | 22,824 | 11,302,190 | 136 9 2½ | 114 11 5½ | 4,294,989 | 51 17 1½ |
| Honduras | 1,901 | 236,219 | 124 5 2 | 120 4 7½ | 101,399 | 53 6 9½ |
| Jamaica | 311,070 | 15,501,047 | 49 16 7 | 44 15 2½ | 6,143,937 | 19 15 4½ |
| Mauritius | 66,613 | 5,321,717 | 79 17 9½ | 69 14 3 | 2,099,983 | 31 10 6 |
| Montserrat | 6,401 | 408,486 | 63 16 3½ | 36 17 10½ | 103,556 | 16 3 6½ |
| Nevis | 8,815 | 378,558 | 42 18 10½ | 39 9 11½ | 151,006 | 17 2 7½ |
| St. Christopher's . | 19,780 | 885,730 | 44 15 6½ | 36 6 10½ | 292,393 | 16 13 0½ |
| St. Lucia | 13,291 | 798,120 | 60 0 11½ | 56 18 7 | 334,495 | 25 3 4 |
| St. Vincent's . . . | 22,266 | 1,602,467 | 71 19 4½ | 58 6 8 | 590,779 | 26 10 7½ |
| Tobago | 11,589 | 482,155 | 41 17 3 | 45 12 0½ | 233,875 | 20 8 7½ |
| Trinidad | 20,657 | 2,101,495 | 101 14 7½ | 105 4 5½ | 1,033,392 | 50 1 1½ |
| Virgin Islands . . | 5,135 | 219,225 | 42 16 6½ | 31 16 1½ | 74,638 | 14 2 10½ |
| TOTAL | 770,280 | 51,467,436 | 66 16 3½ | 56 9 1½ | 19,948,080* | 25 17 11½ |

* To this amount must be added 51,920*l.* for sums reserved to meet extraordinary Claims and for fractional parts, and the whole will amount to 20,000,000*l.*

Partly abstracted from Lords' Paper, No. 93, and Commons' Paper, No. 64.

Commission of Compensation.—The expenses of this Commission amounted, on the 31st December 1837, to 97,242*l.* Of this 36,095*l.* is the amount of expenses in this country; the remaining sum of 61,147*l.* has been expended in the Colonies for the following purposes: 19,978*l.* to Appraisers; 22,323*l.* to Auxiliary Commissioners; and 18,845*l.* to miscellaneous charges. The total expense hitherto has been not quite $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. upon the sum distributed. The claims remaining undecided, on the 27th January, amounted to 1,330,598*l.*; and it is expected that the total expense of the Commission will not exceed $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.

Lords' Papers, Nos. 36 and 66.

Jamaica Apprentices.—The number of apprentices in Jamaica who purchased their freedom, between the 1st August 1834, and the 31st July 1837, exclusive of a period of four months ending the 31st October 1836, (for which no returns have been received), was 2171—averaging 70 in each month. The gross sum which they paid was 68,029*l.*; and the average per head was 31*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* If to this be added the average compensation in Jamaica of 19*l.* 15*s.* 4½*d.* the total sum per head received by the owners amounts to 51*l.* 2*s.* 0½*d.* The average appraised value of slaves in the island was 49*l.* 16*s.* 7*d.*; and the average of sales of slaves, from 1822 to 1830, was 44*l.* 15*s.* 2½*d.*—

Lords' Paper, No. 98, and Commons' Paper, No. 64.

Number of Slaves of each Class registered in the several Colonies upon which the Compensation was apportioned.

| | Jamaica. | Honduras. | Antigua. | St. Christo- pher. | Grenada. | Dominica. | St. Lucia. | Bermuda. | St. Vincent. | Nevis. | Bahamas. | Montserrat. | Barbadoes. | Tobago. | Virgin Islands. | British Guiana. | Trinidad. | Mauritius. | Cape of Good Hope. | Total. |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|-----------------------|----------|-----------|------------|----------|--------------|--------|----------|-------------|------------|---------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|------------|-----------------------|---------|
| Predial Attached. | 14,043 | .. | 593 | 660 | 1,164 | 691 | 332 | .. | 927 | 276 | 69 | 251 | 1,963 | 209 | 137 | 3,313 | 1,100 | 853 | .. | 96,511 |
| | 11,944 | .. | 906 | 270 | 741 | 246 | 227 | .. | 968 | 319 | .. | 106 | 1,831 | 350 | 84 | 1,610 | 345 | 965 | .. | 19,696 |
| | 9,635 | .. | 206 | 157 | 975 | 76 | 30 | .. | 375 | 49 | 13 | 47 | 734 | 248 | 68 | 1,618 | 333 | 1,395 | .. | 7,405 |
| | 107,053 | .. | 11,956 | 5,635 | 8,649 | 5,931 | 5,554 | 7 | 7,632 | 9,976 | 2,652 | 2,379 | 27,693 | 3,734 | 1,410 | 39,193 | 8,018 | 6,390 | .. | 256,276 |
| | 63,923 | .. | 6,302 | 4,922 | 5,738 | 2,955 | 2,192 | 1 | 5,605 | 1,510 | 1,396 | 1,171 | 15,615 | 3,567 | 1,097 | 13,073 | 2,448 | 7,027 | .. | 138,622 |
| Total | 198,898 | .. | 19,641 | 11,764 | 16,560 | 9,829 | 8,355 | 814,797 | 5,123 | 4,020 | 3,954 | 47,876 | 9,103 | 2,796 | 57,807 | 12,244 | 26,830 | .. | .. | 448,610 |
| Predial Unattached. | 1,399 | 24 | 9 | 34 | 10 | 11 | 8 | .. | 22 | 7 | 4 | 18 | 39 | 6 | 25 | 153 | 96 | 224 | 398 | 9,401 |
| | 1,133 | 15 | 39 | 14 | 21 | 20 | 3 | .. | 22 | 16 | .. | 16 | 234 | 5 | 9 | 132 | 51 | 353 | 104 | 2,927 |
| | 1,323 | 6 | 10 | 16 | 10 | 11 | 1 | .. | 91 | 3 | 2 | 19 | 163 | 5 | 5 | 92 | 24 | 334 | 107 | 1,258 |
| | 11,883 | 524 | 472 | 430 | 214 | 403 | 256 | 7 | 268 | 104 | 187 | 369 | 2,330 | 74 | 326 | 3,579 | 1,001 | 4,677 | 5,663 | 32,543 |
| | 5,104 | 240 | 197 | 353 | 135 | 191 | 100 | 3 | 178 | 46 | 77 | 151 | 1,568 | 68 | 255 | 1,656 | 357 | 1,756 | 5,325 | 17,750 |
| Total | 19,553 | 809 | 727 | 837 | 380 | 636 | 368 | 10 | 512 | 176 | 270 | 556 | 4,317 | 158 | 630 | 5,475 | 1,529 | 7,594 | 11,727 | 56,259 |
| Non- Predial. | 1,759 | 10 | 252 | 139 | 95 | 33 | 36 | 135 | 112 | 88 | 161 | 51 | 391 | 40 | 14 | 872 | 92 | 1,374 | 1,360 | 6,914 |
| | 780 | 13 | 215 | 89 | 123 | 32 | 36 | 159 | 102 | 35 | 48 | 22 | 408 | 19 | 23 | 275 | 220 | 2,347 | 963 | 5,919 |
| | 1,428 | 8 | 80 | 183 | 28 | 12 | 2 | 354 | 247 | 498 | 470 | 45 | 64 | 66 | 92 | 49 | 59 | 411 | 20 | 4,116 |
| | 901 | 10 | 203 | 84 | 498 | 45 | 80 | 317 | 136 | 108 | 331 | 5 | 1,071 | 55 | 35 | 230 | 133 | 945 | 23 | 5,210 |
| | 12,863 | 399 | 303 | 1,457 | 350 | 231 | 1,061 | 923 | 903 | 1,367 | 1,367 | 223 | 3,316 | 316 | 324 | 2,979 | 1,678 | 7,132 | 5,256 | 42,454 |
| Total | 19,683 | 338 | 1,929 | 1,114 | 975 | 846 | 390 | 1,408 | 1,255 | 304 | 1,167 | 170 | 8,695 | 316 | 414 | 1,892 | 1,584 | 10,066 | 9,842 | 61,788 |
| Total | 36,884 | 778 | 2,982 | 3,066 | 2,069 | 1,199 | 1,605 | 3,296 | 2,805 | 1,926 | 3,444 | 516 | 14,445 | 812 | 902 | 6,297 | 3,766 | 2,275 | 17,384 | 136,401 |
| Children under 6 years of Age. on 1st August, 1834. | 39,013 | 224 | 4,327 | 3,198 | 3,390 | 2,113 | 1,957 | 606 | 2,963 | 1,261 | 2,053 | 1,145 | 14,722 | 1,479 | 749 | 9,893 | 2,246 | 7,612 | 5,732 | 104,623 |
| | 15,692 | 90 | 1,444 | 915 | 1,309 | 398 | 1,006 | 106 | 1,189 | 399 | 299 | 230 | 1,780 | 1,032 | 63 | 3,352 | 879 | 2,302 | 899 | 33,312 |
| | 1,075 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1,075 |
| | 311,070 | 1,901 | 29,121 | 19,780 | 23,638 | 14,175 | 13,391 | 4,026 | 32,266 | 8,815 | 10,086 | 6,401 | 83,150 | 11,589 | 6,138 | 82,894 | 20,657 | 66,613 | 35,749 | 770,290 |

Abstract of Lord's Paper, No 93.

Charges incurred by the United Kingdom on account of the Canadas, and of the other North American Colonies, 1827 to 1836.

| Years. | THE CANADAS. | | | | | | | Actual Expenditure on account of other North American Colonies. | Grants to Religious Societies in all the Colonies. | Total Expenditure. |
|--------|----------------------------|--------|-----------|------------------|---------|-------------|---------------------|---|--|--------------------|
| | Payments on account of the | | | | | Repayments. | Actual Expenditure. | | | |
| | Army. | Navy. | Ordnance. | Commisariat, &c. | Total. | | | | | |
| | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. |
| 1827 | 92,651 | 15,396 | 119,875 | 110,282 | 338,204 | 20,315 | 317,889 | 211,070 | 15,332 | 544,291 |
| 1828 | 82,027 | 24,551 | 118,104 | 139,236 | 363,918 | 20,699 | 343,819 | 220,528 | 15,332 | 579,679 |
| 1829 | 81,897 | 20,239 | 99,033 | 136,973 | 338,142 | 22,918 | 375,224 | 193,099 | 15,332 | 523,655 |
| 1830 | 85,172 | 23,653 | 47,813 | 106,767 | 263,405 | 19,749 | 243,656 | 190,217 | 15,332 | 449,205 |
| 1831 | 92,916 | 13,565 | 75,603 | 90,545 | 272,629 | 26,100 | 246,529 | 209,088 | 15,332 | 470,949 |
| 1832 | 104,229 | 12,854 | 64,802 | 121,089 | 302,974 | 38,355 | 264,619 | 209,756 | 11,000 | 485,375 |
| 1833 | 78,312 | 10,165 | 71,499 | 107,599 | 267,575 | 22,745 | 244,830 | 150,978 | 8,000 | 403,808 |
| 1834 | 75,110 | 7,856 | 56,826 | 117,403 | 257,195 | 36,407 | 220,788 | 154,004 | 4,000 | 378,792 |
| 1835 | 71,355 | 2,863 | 51,990 | 89,381 | 215,579 | 48,918 | 166,661 | 153,146 | 3,850 | 323,657 |
| 1836 | 107,246 | 1,106 | 53,451 | 160,650 | 322,453 | 63,073 | 259,380 | 157,875 | 3,850 | 421,105 |

Abstract of Lords' Paper, No. 110.

Provincial Revenues of Upper and Lower Canada, 1832 to 1836.

| Provinces. | 1832 | 1833 | 1834 | 1835 | 1836 |
|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. |
| Upper Canada . | 53,145 | 66,024 | 74,882 | 61,161 | 69,141 |
| Lower Canada . | 153,467 | 137,342 | 91,761 | 122,066 | 102,027 |
| Total . . | 206,612 | 203,366 | 166,643 | 183,227 | 171,168 |

Lord's Paper, No. 52.

Trade of the United Kingdom with the Canadas, 1827 to 1836.

| Years. | Official Value of Imports from the Canadas. | Official Value of Exports to the Canadas. | | | Declared Value of British Exports to the Canadas. |
|--------|---|---|-----------------------|-----------|---|
| | | British. | Foreign and Colonial. | Total. | |
| | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. |
| 1827 | 468,766 | 794,637 | 155,853 | 950,490 | 617,709 |
| 1828 | 466,065 | 1,059,225 | 189,058 | 1,248,283 | 787,289 |
| 1829 | 569,452 | 980,476 | 136,946 | 1,117,422 | 709,141 |
| 1830 | 682,202 | 1,388,201 | 181,819 | 1,570,020 | 997,502 |
| 1831 | 902,915 | 1,749,847 | 172,242 | 1,922,089 | 1,136,819 |
| 1832 | 795,652 | 1,863,118 | 215,831 | 2,078,949 | 1,173,587 |
| 1833 | 756,466 | 1,789,876 | 310,335 | 2,100,211 | 1,171,565 |
| 1834 | 613,598 | 1,171,540 | 168,085 | 1,339,625 | 799,912 |
| 1835 | 629,051 | 1,842,176 | 285,355 | 2,127,531 | 1,184,985 |
| 1836 | 633,575 | 2,388,861 | 350,646 | 2,739,507 | 1,539,153 |

Lords' Paper, No. 49.

British Shipping employed in the Trade of the Canadas, 1832 to 1836.

| Years. | Entered Inwards. | | | | | | |
|--------|----------------------------------|---------|--|--------|--------|---------|--------|
| | Belonging to the United Kingdom. | | Belonging to the British Possessions beyond Sea. | | Total. | | |
| | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| 1832 | 933 | 262,345 | 128 | 17,394 | 1,061 | 279,739 | 12,768 |
| 1833 | 914 | 259,690 | 158 | 16,856 | 1,072 | 276,546 | 12,391 |
| 1834 | 1,002 | 292,699 | 150 | 16,305 | 1,152 | 309,004 | 13,489 |
| 1835 | 1,009 | 307,396 | 173 | 20,166 | 1,182 | 327,562 | 14,217 |
| 1836 | 1,061 | 333,830 | 168 | 24,891 | 1,229 | 358,721 | 15,231 |

| Years. | Cleared Outwards. | | | | | | |
|--------|----------------------------------|---------|--|--------|--------|---------|--------|
| | Belonging to the United Kingdom. | | Belonging to the British Possessions beyond Sea. | | Total. | | |
| | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| 1832 | 1,071 | 277,516 | 190 | 29,908 | 1,161 | 307,424 | 13,902 |
| 1833 | 887 | 255,163 | 219 | 24,335 | 1,106 | 289,548 | 12,423 |
| 1834 | 1,002 | 292,345 | 214 | 27,463 | 1,216 | 319,808 | 13,968 |
| 1835 | 1,005 | 306,912 | 235 | 29,644 | 1,240 | 336,556 | 14,630 |
| 1836 | 1,065 | 334,369 | 261 | 40,682 | 1,326 | 375,051 | 15,986 |

Lords' Paper, No. 67.

Comparative View of British Shipping employed in the Trade of each of the British North American Colonies. in the Year 1836.

| Colonies. | Entered Inwards. | | | | | | |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|---------|--|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| | Belonging to the United Kingdom. | | Belonging to British Possessions beyond Sea. | | Total. | | |
| | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| Canada . . . | 1,061 | 333,803 | 168 | 24,891 | 1,229 | 358,721 | 15,231 |
| New Brunswick . | 503 | 141,675 | 2,698 | 206,644 | 3,201 | 348,319 | 17,143 |
| Nova Scotia . . | 127 | 24,708 | 4,236 | 293,202 | 4,363 | 317,910 | 17,834 |
| Newfoundland . | 374 | 55,804 | 417 | 39,042 | 791 | 94,846 | 5,296 |

| Colonies. | Cleared Outwards. | | | | | | |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|---------|--|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| | Belonging to the United Kingdom. | | Belonging to British Possessions beyond Sea. | | Total. | | |
| | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| Canada . . . | 1,065 | 334,369 | 261 | 40,682 | 1,326 | 375,051 | 15,986 |
| New Brunswick . | 550 | 154,295 | 2,443 | 210,229 | 2,993 | 364,524 | 16,816 |
| Nova Scotia . . | 112 | 22,073 | 4,509 | 316,675 | 4,621 | 338,748 | 17,841 |
| Newfoundland . | 358 | 52,487 | 431 | 41,525 | 789 | 94,012 | 5,473 |

Lords' Paper, No. 67.

Comparative View of the Trade of the United Kingdom with the Canadas, and with the other British North American Colonies, in the Year 1836.

| Colonies. | Official Value of Imports. | Official Value of Exports. | | | Declared Value of British Exports. |
|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|
| | | British. | Foreign & Colonial. | Total. | |
| | £. | £. | £. | £. | £. |
| Canada | 633,575 | 2,398,861 | 350,646 | 2,739,507 | 1,539,153 |
| New Brunswick | 249,442 | 710,006 | 133,162 | 843,168 | 553,864 |
| Nova Scotia } | 57,970 | 393,382 | 50,045 | 443,427 | 292,322 |
| Cape Breton } | | | | | |
| Prince Edward's Island . . | 195,860 | 343,322 | 56,171 | 399,493 | 297,823 |
| Newfoundland } | | | | | |
| Coast of Labrador . . . } | 26,313 | 35,260 | 5,761 | 41,381 | 49,129 |
| Settlements of Hudson's Bay Company . . . } | | | | | |
| Total | 1,163,160 | 3,871,191 | 595,785 | 4,466,976 | 2,732,291 |

Lords' Paper, No. 49.

Trade and Navigation of the Canadas.

| Years. | Trade with Foreign Countries. | | Trade with British Colonies not in North America. | | Shipping belonging to the Canadas. | | |
|--------|-------------------------------|----------|---|----------|------------------------------------|--------|-------|
| | Imports. | Exports. | Imports. | Exports. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| | £. | £. | £. | £. | | | |
| 1832 | 118,567 | 3,498 | 129,908 | 43,825 | 347 | 30,975 | 1,742 |
| 1833 | 187,190 | 3,109 | 112,052 | 33,231 | 322 | 28,727 | 1,698 |
| 1834 | 20,269 | 10,657 | 121,012 | 45,855 | 370 | 31,679 | 1,872 |
| 1835 | 22,602 | 13,809 | 99,471 | 42,607 | 372 | 33,098 | 1,785 |
| 1836 | 60,373 | 3,136 | 63,510 | 39,106 | 396 | 35,310 | 1,918 |

Lords' Papers, Nos. 94 and 67.

Comparative View of the Trade of the Canadas, and of the other British North American Colonies, in the Year 1836.

| Colonies. | Trade with Foreign Countries. | | Trade with British Colonies not in America. | | Shipping belonging to each Colony. | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|---|----------|------------------------------------|---------|--------|
| | Imports. | Exports. | Imports. | Exports. | Ships. | Tons. | Men. |
| | £. | £. | £. | £. | | | |
| Canada | 60,373 | 3,136 | 63,510 | 39,106 | 396 | 35,310 | 1,918 |
| New Brunswick | 143,091 | 36,805 | 57,801 | 75,593 | 587 | 84,425 | 3,658 |
| Nova Scotia } | 214,716 | 106,321 | 185,763 | 249,667 | 1,839 | 103,393 | 6,131 |
| Prince Edward's Island . . | | | | | | | |
| Cape Breton } | 1,073 | 24,148 | 7,013 | 6,734 | .. | .. | .. |
| Newfoundland } | | | | | | | |
| Total | 643,442 | 522,327 | 357,036 | 476,394 | 3,499 | 270,044 | 14,820 |

Lords' Papers, Nos. 94 and 67.

REVENUE—INCOME and CHARGE.

An Abstract of the Net Produce of the Revenue of Great Britain in each of the Years and Quarters ended 5th April 1837 and 1838.

| | Years ending 5th April. | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| | 1837 | 1838 | Increase. | Decrease. |
| | £. | £. | £. | £. |
| Customs | 19,703,107 | 18,451,449 | .. | 1,251,658 |
| Excise | 12,715,305 | 11,665,748 | .. | 1,049,557 |
| Stamps | 6,670,999 | 6,461,885 | .. | 209,114 |
| Taxes | 3,681,916 | 3,627,105 | .. | 54,811 |
| Post-Office | 1,491,000 | 1,519,743 | 28,743 | .. |
| Miscellaneous | 50,421 | 34,443 | .. | 15,978 |
| Imprest Monies, Repay- ments, &c. | 628,007 | 848,018 | 220,011 | .. |
| Total Income | 44,940,755 | 42,608,391* | 248,754 | 2,581,118 |

| | Quarters ending 5th April. | | | |
|--|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | 1837 | 1838 | Increase. | Decrease. |
| | £. | £. | £. | £. |
| Customs | 4,436,505 | 4,061,670 | .. | 374,835 |
| Excise | 1,834,443 | 1,705,853 | .. | 128,590 |
| Stamps | 1,618,462 | 1,648,194 | 29,732 | .. |
| Taxes | 181,219 | 130,576 | .. | 50,643 |
| Post-Office | 367,000 | 369,000 | 2,000 | .. |
| Miscellaneous | 26,334 | 25,841 | .. | 493 |
| Imprest Monies, Repay- ments, &c. | 158,171 | 188,580 | 30,409 | .. |
| Total Income | 8,622,134 | 8,129,714 | 62,141 | 554,561 |

* Total decrease on the year, 2,332,364*l.*; total decrease on the quarter, 492,420*l.*

An Abstract of the Income and Charge of the Consolidated Fund, in each of the Quarters ended 5th April 1837 and 1838.

| INCOME. | | | CHARGE. | | |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|--|---------------------------|-----------|
| Description. | Quarters ended 5th April. | | Description. | Quarters ended 5th April. | |
| | 1837 | 1838 | | 1837 | 1838 |
| | £. | £. | | £. | £. |
| Customs | 3,540,039 | 3,456,275 | Permanent Debt | 3,535,152 | 3,545,543 |
| Excise | 1,834,443 | 1,705,853 | Terminable Annui- ties | 1,376,068 | 1,374,218 |
| Stamps | 1,618,462 | 1,648,194 | Interest on Exche- quer Bills | 15,838 | 24,662 |
| Taxes | 181,219 | 130,576 | Sinking Fund. | 532,523 | .. |
| Post-Office | 367,000 | 369,000 | The Civil List | 127,500 | 96,400 |
| Miscellaneous | 66,505 | 235,720 | Other Charges | 306,635 | 328,312 |
| Total | 7,607,668 | 7,545,618 | Total Charge | 5,893,716 | 5,369,135 |
| Re-payments of Issues from Con- solidated Fund in Ireland | 496,029 | 175,000 | The Surplus | 2,209,981 | 2,351,483 |
| Total | 8,103,697 | 7,720,618 | Total | 8,103,697 | 7,720,618 |

BANK OF ENGLAND.

Quarterly Averages of the Weekly Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of England in each of the Quarters ending 9th January and 30th April, 1838.

| | LIABILITIES. | | | ASSETS. | |
|-------------|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|
| | 9th January. | 3d April. | | 9th January. | 3d April. |
| | £. | £. | | £. | £. |
| Circulation | 17,900,000 | 18,987,000 | Securities. | 22,606,000 | 22,838,000 |
| Deposits . | 10,992,000 | 11,262,000 | Bullion . | 8,895,000 | 10,126,000 |
| Total . | 28,892,000 | 30,249,000 | Total . | 31,501,000 | 32,964,000 |

Quarterly and Annual Average Prices of Corn per Imperial Quarter in England and Wales, in each Quarter, from Midsummer 1835, to Lady Day 1838.

| Quarters and Years. | | Wheat. | Barley. | Oats. | Rye. | Beans. | Peas. |
|---------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| | | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| 1835 | Midsummer . . | 40 0 | 29 11 | 24 0 | 30 10 | 39 4 | 36 8 |
| | Michaelmas . . | 40 11 | 28 0 | 23 0 | 30 7 | 38 9 | 36 2 |
| | Christmas . . | 36 8 | 28 6 | 19 1 | 28 11 | 36 0 | 35 7 |
| 1836 | Lady Day . . | 40 6 | 28 10 | 20 0 | 28 2 | 34 2 | 33 11 |
| | Midsummer . . | 49 1 | 32 5 | 23 1 | 32 9 | 38 1 | 39 2 |
| | Michaelmas . . | 49 0 | 33 0 | 23 7 | 34 0 | 40 4 | 37 11 |
| | Christmas . . | 55 3 | 37 0 | 25 6 | 38 5 | 43 9 | 42 5 |
| 1837 | Lady Day . . | 57 2 | 33 9 | 23 7 | 38 9 | 38 10 | 37 8 |
| | Midsummer . . | 55 7 | 29 6 | 23 11 | 34 10 | 38 7 | 38 9 |
| | Michaelmas . . | 57 7 | 28 5 | 23 9 | 35 5 | 40 5 | 38 4 |
| | Christmas . . | 52 11 | 29 10 | 21 3 | 30 0 | 36 6 | 35 1 |
| 1838 | Lady Day . . | 55 1 | 28 10 | 20 4 | 29 8 | 32 11 | 32 8 |
| Years | 1835 | 39 4 | 29 11 | 22 0 | 30 4 | 36 11 | 36 6 |
| | 1836 | 48 6 | 32 10 | 23 1 | 33 4 | 39 1 | 38 4 |
| | 1837 | 55 10 | 30 4 | 23 1 | 34 9 | 38 7 | 37 6 |

Weekly Average Prices of Corn in England and Wales in the Month of March 1838.

| | Weeks Ending March | | | | | |
|--------------|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------|
| | 2d. | 9th. | 16th. | 23d. | 30th. | Average of the Month. |
| | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| Wheat . . | 55 3 | 55 4 | 56 3 | 56 10 | 57 9 | 56 3 |
| Barley . . | 28 8 | 28 6 | 28 10 | 29 6 | 29 7 | 28 10 |
| Oats . . . | 20 11 | 20 6 | 20 8 | 21 2 | 21 4 | 20 11 |
| Rye | 30 0 | 29 3 | 31 6 | 30 7 | 33 0 | 30 10 |
| Beans . . . | 32 10 | 32 5 | 32 9 | 33 1 | 33 11 | 33 0 |
| Peas | 33 0 | 33 4 | 33 0 | 32 9 | 32 10 | 32 11 |